

**Andrew Jackson to Amos Kendall, November 16, 1843,
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class=MsoNormal>TO AMOS KENDALL.

Hermitage, November 16, 1843.

my dear Mr. Kendall, Major Donelson has just handed me the inclosed which I hasten to forward you. My health is so feeble that I could not aid in drawing out the position of the Army, Armstrong, and the Indians, but the major has given a correct view of the ground and positions. It will be remembered that the whole rear guard give way, and brought the whole force of the Indians upon Armstrong and his little 0267 243 command—it was their firmness that saved the army by checking the Indians until I got the flank collums to wheel and assist them. For a moment there never was a greater panic over the whole army. When roused from this panic, we soon routed the Indians Killing over sixty of their warriors.

In haste yr. friend